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FOR SALE—Good baled hay. H. E. Merrill, Barton. Tel. Orleans 128-111f

FARM FOR SALE—168 acres in excellent condition. Lots of timber. H. J. Dietzsch, Sheffield. 10-11p

FOR SALE—Grimm arch and evaporator in good condition. G. A. Griggs, Albany. 10-11p

FOR SALE—300 wood sap buckets machine turned, painted inside and outside, washed, ready to hang. Harry Manley, Irasburg. 9-12p

FOR SALE—"Macey" solid oak filing cabinet, 32 drawers, for 3x5 cards. Price \$30. Vincent Davis, Beebe Plain, Vt. 9-11

FOR SALE—1 new Melott cream separator, in use only two weeks. Price \$22. Inquire at Leroux's meat shop, Barton. 9-11p

FOR SALE—10 H. P. Woodpecker gasoline engine, one H. P. Sampson saw, are hand derrick. John Barnard, Barton. 31tf

FOR SALE—Registered Holstein bull, 21 months old, well bred and well marked. Can be seen at J. A. Smith's, Barton. Also fine S. C. R. I. R. cockerels. Hastings & Smith, Glover. 9-11p

FOR SALE—Pair fine work horses, 7 and 8, weighing about 3000 lbs. Well mated. Also pair good work mules weighing 2200 lbs., and two sows to pig this month. Stanley Paquette, Orleans. Tel. 161-3. 11-13

FOR SALE—Brass slide trombone with case. Paris make, A condition. Bargain. Box 512, Orleans. 10-12p

FOR SALE—My round silo, 12x24 feet, in first-class condition. Price and terms reasonable. H. E. Lee, Barton. 11tf

FOR SALE—the late William S. Glover farm containing about 90 acres of good land with buildings, 30 miles from East Albany. Must sell to clear estate. Fred Benware, Irasburg. 11tf

FOR SALE—1 new Iowa cream separator, capacity 850 lbs. per hour. On 30 days trial. Price \$120. Dan E. Walcott, Glover. 11-13

FOR SALE—600 large size buckskin covers fitted to go on Foster seats. H. A. Spaulding, West Charleston. 11-12

FOR SALE—Three young sows due to farrow April 1st. One heavy work horse, seven years old, sound and kind, good worker. F. W. Comstock, Barton. 1wp

FOR SALE—A 200-acre farm one mile south of North Haverhill, N. H., on the state road. Good buildings, running water at house and barn. E. L. Blumley, North Haverhill, N. H. 11-13

FOR SALE OR RENT—Double tenement with barn and garden plot. All modern improvements, thoroughly built and always rented. Well located in Barton village. Inquire of W. M. Wright, agent, Barton. 2tf

FOR SALE—My residence on Park St., Barton, this is an exceptional opportunity to purchase an ideal home, a pleasantly-located and thoroughly built, two-tenement house with barn and one-half acre of land. For particulars inquire of F. W. Comstock, Barton, or write Mrs. G. L. Merriam, 2 Main street, Greenfield, Mass. 9-13

FOR SALE—As my business calls me from Orleans the larger part of the time I offer for sale my meadow and small pasture in Orleans village. Also my business block on Main St., consisting of two stores, two tenements and stable in rear. Inquire of H. W. Buchanan, Barre, Vt. Hotel Barre. 2tf

FOR SALE—My residence on Wiloughby avenue. House is double boarded, was most thoroughly built six years ago, conveniently arranged for either one or two families. Good grounds. Also double tenement with large barn on Maple street. E. C. Brennan, Orleans. 11-12p

### MISCELLANEOUS

INSURANCE—Best stock and mutual companies. Surety bonds. F. W. Baldwin, Agent, Barton. 26tf

FARMERS' NOTICE—Will take stock March 10 and 24. Dodge, Orleans. 10-11

MARK YOUR Maple Sugar products this year? We can furnish you labels covering the law, printed in colors, containing the state seal, name of farm and address, as follows: 1000—\$2.25, 500—\$1.25, 200—\$1.05. The "Sugar" call for all "Sugar" or all "Sugar" of part of both. Labels delivered free where cash accompanies the order. Monitor Press, Barton.

### TO RENT

TO RENT—Furnished rooms. Mrs. Edmund A. Gross, Orleans. 9-11p

## Westmore Postoffice to Be Discontinued

Postmaster Buckley of Barton has received notice of the discontinuance of the Westmore postoffice on March 15 and his orders state that he shall care for mail heretofore going to Westmore.

This undoubtedly means that some kind of R. F. D. arrangement will take care of this territory but no official notice to that effect has yet been received.

## Village Meeting Short and Quiet.

There was a good attendance at the annual village meeting Tuesday evening in Seaver's hall and the business was all transacted in about an hour.

The outstanding features of the meeting was the vote to buy the stone crusher and outfit located on high street of the private parties now owning it, and a special tax of 30c was voted for the purchase; the election of F. D. Pierce a trustee for three years in place of E. W. Cutting who would not accept reelection; the increase in the amount voted the band from \$275 to \$350; and the refusal of the village to give 15% of its road tax to the town.

The board of village officers now stands as follows: F. W. Baldwin, moderator; Fanny T. May, clerk and treasurer; E. W. Barton, C. A. Barrows and F. D. Pierce, trustees; Geo. Jennings, collector; F. W. Baldwin, attorney; C. S. Webster, F. A. Hunt and C. E. Hamblet, auditors; Homer Rusford, chief engineer; Frank May, first assistant and E. C. Cook, second assistant; A. A. Larabee, J. F. Batchelder and E. G. Colliston, water trustees.

The village tax exceeds the tax raised last year by the 30c voted for the purchase of the stone crushing outfit. The usual \$200 was voted for the use of the library, the firemen were voted pay for attendance at roll call and the same pay as heretofore for attendance at fires. Everything was very harmonious and adjournment was had before 9 o'clock.

## BARTON

J. E. Williamson has moved to Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Webster were in Boston Saturday and Sunday.

There will be a social dance in Woodman hall, Evansville, Friday evening.

Mrs. Elizabeth Gilmour has been ill the past few days but is a little improved.

Schools close Friday for a ten days' vacation, opening again Tuesday, March 25.

Clarence Wilkie of Lunenburg was a guest of friends and relatives here last week.

Mrs. I. T. Day has gone to Brownington to live with her sister, Mrs. W. G. Dutton.

Will everyone who has Red Cross knitting out please send it in as soon as possible.

Of the 120 women qualified to vote in town meeting, only 13 voted on the license question.

A banquet for the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs was held in Odd Fellows' hall Tuesday evening.

Word has been received of the arrival of Ralph Miles in this country from overseas service.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Williams have returned from a several weeks' sojourn in South Albany.

L. J. Hitchcock, who spent several weeks at Wenlock, with G. F. Reed's team has returned home.

The faculty and school board gave the sixth grade a social evening at Alumni hall Friday evening.

The regular meeting of the Afternoon Study club will be held with Mrs. C. A. Barrows Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Gilman have returned from Manchester, N. H., where they have spent the winter.

B. J. Jenness has moved from the tenement in the King block opposite the postoffice to his place on the May pond road.

## WANTED

WANTED—Live poultry. Elrick, Barton. 18tf

WANTED—Calf skins, 5 to 7 lbs., \$2.00; 7 to 9 lbs., \$2.25. E. Sockol, Main street, Barton. Tel. 24-11. 5tf

WANTED—Will pay five cents pound for clean rags suitable for wiping machinery. No old pants or woolen rags accepted. Monitor Press. 11tf

WANTED—Girl or woman for general work. No cooking. Normandy Cafe, Barton. 8tf

WANTED—Twenty young cows, grade Jerseys. H. C. Wilson, Irasburg. 9-11

WANTED—Live poultry and fresh eggs at Orleans express station next Monday. E. S. Kelley, Tel. 123-13, Orleans. 4tf

WANTED—Men to solicit orders for fruit and ornamental trees, roses, shrubs, etc. Part or full time. Permanent position. Pay weekly. Apply C. W. Stuart & Co., Newark, New York state. 43tf

WANTED—Young women with high school education to train for nurses. Allowance and maintenance. Write for prospectus to Miss Mary A. Morris, Superintendent of Nurses, Long Island Hospital, Boston Harbor, Mass. 10-13

## POLL TAX FOR WOMEN

Legislature Settling Down to Last Lap of Session.

Votes for women at the price of a poll tax have been decreed by the senate, after the measure had been killed, revised, amended and finally passed without debate by a unanimous vote. This is a house measure and only requires the signature of the governor to make it law.

The bill recommending an increase in the salary of the county clerks in Chittenden, Orleans and Windham counties has been advanced to a third reading in the house.

The house has finally killed for good the lump sum salary basis for pay of the members of the general assembly, the amount named in the bill being \$400.

Owing to a short session last week—town meeting week—and various interruptions, not much work has been accomplished since a week ago and it is not thought possible adjournment can be had before Apr. 1.

Gen. Edwards Praises Unit County Boys Are In.

Many Orleans county boys are in the 101st ammunition train which is overseas in the division of which Gen. Edwards has charge. Gen. Edwards spoke in Montpelier and Barre the first of the week and said there was no better ammunition train in France than the 101st, which was composed mostly of Vermonters, giving that organization the first public announcement of credit that has received. He also paid a compliment to the supply train in which there are many Vermonters.

General Edwards paid high tribute to the "stout-hearted lads" from Vermont, reviewed the conditions under which he was placed in command of the 26th division, the hurry call to get overseas, the difficulties of training in France, the need which came for their services before they had received the usual three months' training, and their splendid conduct under entirely new and soul-racking horrors of war.

He gave the minister and another man, whom he did not name, an awful arraignment for the statements they made as to the pollution of the boys by disease. At that time there were only six in the division incapacitated by disease, he said, and there were hardly any held for court martial. He told the girls to wait for their boys to come back, that they would find them men, instead of boys, fitted to make the best of husbands.

The story of the closing of the St. Mihiel salient showed his confidence in the division. He gave Captain Shelton of Fair Haven a fitting compliment for the way in which he handled the machine gun company he was commanding in the closing of the salient.

## Honors for Dale and Greene.

Both Vermont representatives in the national house have just received distinctive honors.

Congressman Porter H. Dale of Island Pond has been selected to head the important congressional committee to probe the treasury department war expenditures and activities.

Congressman Frank L. Greene of St. Albans has been invited by Secretary of War Newton D. Baker to accompany him to Europe to inspect the American Army of Occupation and the American Expeditionary Force in France.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Chesley and daughter, Ruth, were guests of her sister, Mrs. Guy Sawyer, in Lyndonville Sunday.

Alvah W. Abbott, who graduated from Burdett college has secured a position with the E. H. Clapp Rubber Co. in Boston.

Mrs. Fanny Fairbanks of West Burke was the guest of her cousins, Mrs. S. M. Bickford and Mrs. M. H. Brunning, recently.

Mrs. C. L. Hutchins was elected vice president of the New England Retail Milliners' Association at their session in Boston last week.

Harry McCaffrey, Mrs. J. J. Neagle and Miss Katherine Neagle of Lyndonville, spent a few days recently with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Cota.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace H. Gilpin were in Montpelier last week to attend the annual meeting and banquet of the Vermont Press Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Archibald received a telegram from Boston recently announcing the arrival from overseas of his brother, Pvt. Merton Archibald.

H. T. Seaver was in Montpelier two days last week to attend the union of the 1915 legislature, of which he was a member, being in the senate at that time.

Owing to a severe throat trouble Sergt. Ruth Farnam, who was booked to speak in Seaver's hall Friday evening, was obliged to cancel her engagement in Barton.

F. W. Cutting and Miss Abbie May of the Cutting insurance office attended the annual meeting of the Vermont association of local fire insurance agents held in Waterbury last week.

C. S. Webster has been in North Troy most of the time for the past ten days, taking the place of F. H. Dana, in the Valley Savings Bank & Trust Co. there. Mr. Dana, the treasurer has been sick. W. A. Tower was also there for a time to assist.

There will be a special communication of Orleans Lodge No. 55, F. & A. M. Thursday, March 20, at 7.30

## Mrs. Charles F. Percival.

Mrs. Emma L. C. Percival died late in the afternoon Friday, March 7, in a Vermont sanitarium. The immediate cause of her death was paralysis, the ultimate outcome of worry. She was born in Springfield, Mass., Jan. 17, 1868, the daughter of the late Simpson and Lois E. (Brown) Clark. After graduating from the high school in Springfield and from the Westfield normal school, she taught evening school and at different times had two Sunday school classes of boys.

On March 7, 1900, she was married to Charles F. Percival, a manufacturer of this town. Following her marriage she came here to live and remained here four years. Then in 1904, at the death of her step-mother, she and her husband with their two children, Lois and Laura, returned to Springfield to make a home for her father in his house.

For the past three years she has been under a nervous strain, which affected her health, although last year she was much improved in health, and spent the year in Burlington with her daughters and with her husband, when he was able to leave Springfield.

She made many constant friends everywhere she went. Her beautiful nature and remarkable personality were known best by those who knew her longest and most intimately. Her evenness of temper, sincerity and frankness were qualities of her daily life.

She was affiliated with Delphi Chapter No. 3, O. E. S., of Springfield, first joining the order in Barton, and Laurel Court of the Amaranth, and for many years had been a member of the State Street Baptist church of Springfield.

Besides her husband she leaves two daughters, Lois E. and Laura M. Percival.

The body arrived in Barton Monday night and the funeral was held from Hotel Barton Tuesday morning, Rev. W. A. Warner officiating and interment was in Welcome O. Brown cemetery. A delegation from Orient Chapter O. E. S. attended the funeral in a body.

## Methodist Episcopal Church Notes

Rev. M. A. Turner, Pastor  
Morning worship at 10.45.  
Sunday school, 12.00.  
Junior League at 4 p. m.  
Epworth League, 6.00.  
Evening service, 7.00.

Thursday evening prayer meeting at 7.30 o'clock.

## Congregational Church Notes.

Rev. W. A. Warner, Pastor.  
Sunday, March 16th  
10.45, Morning service.  
12.00, Sunday school.  
6.00, Christian Endeavor meeting.  
7.00, Preaching service.

The regular mid-week prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7.30.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' society will be held Wednesday afternoon, March 19, at the church parlors. Members please furnish for supper without soliciting.

The choir has an Easter cantata, upon which it is rehearsing.

Sunday evening Mr. Warner gave an especially interesting talk on the text, "I Am the Good Shepherd." Among other truths brought out was the fact that in the Holy Land the driving of sheep is unknown, the shepherd can get a position on a board of three shepherds as to the knowledge of their care, and disease is almost unknown among the sheep of these countries. The lesson drawn was the care of God for man and of Christians for the needs of the world.

o'clock p. m. Annual visitation of the D. D. G. H. P. O. W. Locke, and work in the M. M. degree. All members of the fraternity are cordially invited.

Some snow has fallen and the weather man has sent several typical blusters March days in the past week. Today, however, is clear, warm and bright and those with sugar orchards are making preparations for business. There is still snow enough for sleighing.

A drive is on for securing additional subscriptions to the Red Cross magazine, the official organ of the American Red Cross. In addition to the \$1 membership fee the magazine costs but \$1 and the following ladies will receive subscriptions: Mrs. F. F. Sawyer, Mrs. John Millar, Mrs. H. G. Perley, Miss Eva McDonald and Mrs. W. B. Proctor.

Miss Mary Wheeler has accepted a position as assistant in the Fairbanks museum at St. Johnsbury and expects to take up her work soon. Miss Wheeler is especially adapted for this work and her friends congratulate her upon securing the position but are sorry indeed to have her leave town, where she has been a worker in church and all movements for the public good.

On March 6th, the Afternoon Study club met with Mrs. W. W. Reiden. Nineteen members responded at roll call and two visitors were present. An interesting program was given on the subject, "Domestic Animals." Paper, "Horses," Mrs. Proctor; paper, "Cattle," Mrs. Mamie Hanson; paper, "The Horse in Mythology and Literature," Mrs. May Barrows; reading, "Rab and His Friends," Mrs. Emily Webster.

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## "OUR" PRINTING ORGANIZATION

Accomplishments in the Past Few Weeks May Be of Interest.

It is a well established policy not to "talk shop" in these columns but the accomplishments of the printing organization which publishes this paper have been such in the past few weeks that it is thought the public might find some real interest in its accomplishments.

It is no secret that we have been printing town reports. In fact the Monitor office at Barton and the Palladium office at North Troy, operated under one management and one policy for more than a year, printed the town reports for ten towns in Orleans, Chittenden, Glover, Irasburg, Jay, Lowell, Troy, Westfield and Westmore. Besides doing most of the work on these reports our linotype did work for three other printers, a matter of setting five reports for them, and followed by getting out the village reports.

The total pages in all these reports was 593. If these had been made up into one book, the book would have been much larger than the average volume of fiction, in fact about the size of two ordinary novels. If the lines of type in all these pages were placed end to end they would extend approximately two miles in distance and the number of individual types required to make up these 593 pages would approximate 1,000,000.

It must be remembered that in the meantime this printing organization has set the type for both news and advertising and printed both the Monitor and Palladium each week. We have attended to all its regular job printing and also issued for the Orleans County Farm Bureau, its monthly news bulletin containing eight pages.

This remarkable record could not have been made except for the wonderful linotype machine which is at the command of this organization and the willingness and ability of the members of the organization to strain every nerve and work overtime in one harmonious family to accomplish the grand result, and the one who signs this article takes this occasion to extend a bit of credit where it belongs and will name the persons and the capacities in which they serve this printing organization.

Franz A. Hunt, superintendent and bookkeeper.

Eva A. Gilpin, office clerk.

Leo Leblanc, foreman.

Aftian L. Scott, linotype operator.

Mabel A. Nelson, proofreader.

H. C. Whittier, pressman.

Neil Gardner, office boy.

W. E. Sawyer, manager of North Troy office.

Vera M. Webster, who worked for a time as "extra" on the linotype.

It might be said in this connection that immediately preceding the town report rush the organization issued for the C. S. Phillips Co., of Glover, taxidermists, a 24-page taxidermy catalog which is conceded to be one of the finest pieces of work ever printed in Orleans county. There are many half-tone cuts in this catalog, it was printed in brown ink and would be a credit to many a city printing office.

The Monitor Press takes pride in being a member of the United Typothetae of America, an international association of master printers. Only printing organizations which attain a certain standard can belong to this association and we take pride in being one of a half-dozen printing offices in Vermont which belong and especial pride in being the only one in northern Vermont to hold membership in this association of printing offices.

This organization has a system of cost accounting which is so complete that the federal government has recognized and adopted it in many of its departments.

organization has recently adopted a trade mark for the use of its members and soon begins a national advertising campaign to place it before the public. Much of our printing in the future will bear this trade mark, it will be familiar in more ways than one. Here is the mark:



If you have not been wearied with this bit of self-praise and desire to know more of this organization, it will be a pleasure to welcome you at the office.

Wallace H. Gilpin.

M. A. Sykes was in Barton Thursday.

Arthur Palin is working for Solon Gray.

Jas. Derusha recently visited his son, Guy, in Beebe.

Mrs. Hattie Jenness visited Mrs. Adin Armstrong Friday.

A. R. Hall spent Saturday in Newport with his daughters.

Mildred Brewer spent the week-end with Mildred Ware in Coventry.

The Ladies' Aid society served town meeting dinner and the proceeds were \$20.00.

## March Term of Court Opens.

The March term of Orleans county court opened Tuesday morning with Judge Zed Stanton presiding. Rev. L. A. Edwards invoked divine blessing. A short term is the present indication. The jury appeared Wednesday and the first case of the term was called.

The case which went on trial Wednesday is that of Frederick L. Landon, administrator of Henry E. Ross, against the town of Barton, seeking to recover \$20,000 damages for the death of Mr. Ross when his car was overturned near Orleans some years ago, the claim being that the road and culvert were not properly guarded at that point. W. W. Reiden is the town's attorney.

The jurors called are as follows:

H. C. Bryant	Jay
I. C. Bryant	Westfield
W. W. Bryant	Westfield
E. W. Buck	Charleston
C. B. Cook	Greensboro
E. M. Daggett	Holland
Wm. Davies	Brownington
F. M. Drew	Glover
H. H. Pope	Lowell
Claud Gardner	Newport Town
Thomas Gilbert	Westfield
H. W. Gillis	Greensboro
A. A. Griggs	Newport City
F. J. Hatch	Craftsbury
L. P. Jenne	Derby
A. E. Pike	Craftsbury
H. G. Rutter	Charleston
E. E. Larabee	Newport Town
L. E. Lewis	Morgan
C. O. Litchfield	Coventry
Oscar Lyon	Westmore
A. E. Mills	Albany
Frank T. Rich	Derby
C. H. Shepard	Irasburg
C. R. Taplin	Orleans
A. D. Thurber	Coventry
L. E. Tilton	Lowell
C. E. Towne	Irasburg
F. E. Twombly	Albany
A. P. Underwood	Barton
R. P. Webster	Barton
Frank R. Wright	Newport City
W. A. Wylie	Glover

## KEEPING DOGS COSTLY NOW

First License Costs \$5—or \$12. Re-license \$2 or \$6 and Extra Dogs \$10 Each.

Important new dog legislation became law last week when Gov. Clement signed a bill from which the following are quoted:

"A person who owns, harbors or keeps a dog more than four weeks old shall annually, on or before the first day of April, cause it to be registered, numbered, described and licensed for one year from such first day of April, in the office of the clerk of the town wherein such dog is kept, and shall cause it to wear a collar distinctly marked with the name of the owner or keeper, and its registered number, and shall pay for such license two dollars for one male or spayed female dog and six dollars for one female dog if such dog was licensed prior to the first day of April, for dogs that have not been licensed prior to such date the fee for such license shall be five dollars for one male or spayed female dog and twelve dollars for one female dog. If a person or member of his household obtains a license on additional dogs the fee for such license shall be ten dollars each, and if the license fee for any dog is not paid as aforesaid, its owner or keeper may procure a license on or before the 15th day of May by paying a fee fifty per cent in excess of that otherwise required. A person who becomes the owner of a dog on the first day of April of a dog which has not been licensed, or a person who owns, keeps or harbors a dog which becomes four months old after the first day of April, shall within ten days apply for and obtain a license for such dog in the same manner as the annual license is obtained, provided that if license application is made after the 15th day of October the fee for such license shall be a half the amount otherwise required. The owner or keeper of dogs kept for breeding purposes may take out annually, on or before the first day of April, a special license for such dogs, provided he enclose for each dog within a proper enclosure and when the number of dogs so kept does not exceed ten in number, the fee shall be thirty dollars and for each additional dog so kept, an annual fee of two dollars. Dogs covered by such special license shall be exempt from other license fees.

"A license from a town clerk shall be valid in any part of the state, and may be transferred with the dog licensed, provided such license is recorded by the clerk of a town where such dog is kept. A person may bring or cause to be brought into the state for a period not exceeding thirty days one or more dogs for show, trial or breeding purposes. The town clerk shall report to the state's attorney, May 20th of each year, all dogs licensed for the first time, that is, more than four months old.

"Every person shall be entitled to obtain a license for a spayed female dog he shall deliver to the town clerk a certificate signed by a duly licensed veterinarian surgeon or a duly registered physician showing that such female dog has been spayed. Such certificate shall be kept on file.

"The town treasurer shall keep account of the amount paid into the treasury each year under the provisions of this chapter, which shall constitute a dog fund; and if in any year the amount received for dog license is not sufficient to pay the amount awarded for damages to sheep and other domestic animals, such deficiency shall be paid from the town treasury.

"Selectmen may offer a bounty of five dollars for any one killing a dog caught in the act of killing or worrying sheep."

## SUES RAILROAD FOR \$337,000

Widow of Ex-Gov. Prouty Begins Action against Grand Trunk.

Papers were served last week at Island Pond by United States Marshal Arthur P. Carpenter of Brattleboro in an action brought in the United States district court for the district of Vermont by Henrietta Prouty,